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JONES OUSTER HEARING IS STARTED

Music Store Official Named

COMPANY HEAD CHARGED WITH STARTING FIRE

McCauley Is Blamed by the
State Marshal Friday
for Destruction.

DEPOSITS \$5,000 BOND

Principal Stockholder of the
Company to go on Trial
January 12.

Charges of being responsible for the fire which on the night of December 11 destroyed musical instruments and other stock of the Ada Music Company, to the extent of about \$15,000, were filed yesterday in justice court against E. F. McCauley, president and principal stockholder of the company, by W. E. Benjamin, state fire marshal.

This action followed an investigation which has just been completed by Benjamin, here from his headquarters in Oklahoma City. The complaint was filed before Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown and McCauley made bond for \$5,000 for his appearance in justice court January 12.

McCauley will be represented by Thomas P. Holt, local attorney. It was understood this morning that Fire Marshal Benjamin had a short consultation with County Attorney Wayne Wadlington before filing the charges, which allege that the president of the company fired the building to defraud its insurers. The petition sets forth that about \$2500 in insurance was carried by the company; five companies being included in the policies. They are Hartford Fire Insurance company, \$5000; Camden Fire Insurance, two policies, \$5000; and \$2000; American Insurance Company, \$2000; Old Colony Insurance Company, \$5000; and the American Alliance Fire Insurance Company, \$6000.

The defendant had made public no statement this morning in connection with the charges.

County officers intimated this morning that an investigation of the affair had not ended, adding that other arrests in connection with the alleged burning may follow.

**LIONS GET REAL CHANCE
TO ROAR AT CONTEST**

At the last meeting, it was unanimously decided that all Lions should attend the league basketball games to be played at the Normal gymnasium, Monday night, January 2.

Don't be one of the absent. Come! Roar! Start the New Year with enthusiasm.

ROY L. GIVENS, Sec.

**FARMERS GIN COLLECTS
BIG DAMAGE IN FIRE**

J. W. Bathrop, manager of the Farmers Gin, announces that he has received a total of \$5,216.16 in settlement of the damages done to the cotton of the company by fire several days ago. This does not include some salvage which will be obtained from the fire.

The cotton was located on the cotton yard on No. 10 Broadway.

**Independent State
of India Proposed
by Moslems' League**

AHMEDABAD, British India, Dec. 31.—A plea for an independent republic nation to be called the United States of India, to be declared January 1 and to be attained by guerrilla warfare, if necessary, was announced the principal purpose of President Hazrat Mohani, of the All Indian Moslem League, in the opening of the annual session of the league here today.

Mohani invited Mohandas Gandhi, leader of the non-co-operative movement, who was present, to form a parallel government with its own parliament and armies. Mohandas admitted that such a government could not be maintained by peaceful means.

OKLAHOMA WEATHER.
Tonight fair, colder; Sunday fair, rising temperature in north and western portion.

LOVE POLICEMAN OFF TO PROBE MAN EATING

EDMONTON, Ada., Dec. 31.—A lone policeman of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, accompanied by an Indian guide and two dog team drivers, today set out from Fort Fitzgerald for the barren lands north of Lake Athabaska to investigate reports that Caribou Indian tribes there were suffering from lack of food and were resorting to cannibalism.

If evidence of cannibalism is found, the policeman has been instructed to bring back his prisoners.

AMERICAN GRIT NOW DEFEATING BUSINESS LULL

Rising Tide of Greater
Hope Prevailing Says
Griffin Today.

COURAGE KILLS FEARS

Readjustment of Price Be-
coming More Normal as
Weeks Pass.

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Old fashioned American courage is coming to the surface, President Joseph P. Griffin of the Chicago Board of Trade noted in his annual review of business conditions today. He declared that new signposts to prosperity are apparent.

"This rising tide of faith and confidence is mirrored in many industries," his review says. "Courage is driving out the fear that has been shackling production—a fear engendered as much by political as by economic events."

"General readjustment of price levels is going forward in a more orderly manner, which is a most hopeful sign. This will result in gradual lifting of the burden of price inequalities. It will stimulate buying and production and absorb the army of idle men and women."

"There should be a reduction in freight rates, and revision of taxation in a manner that would encourage investment. Freight rates and tax laws constitute a barrier of paramount importance."

Grain Trade Handicapped.
"From the day price deflation hit agricultural products the grain trade has struggled as never before against elements that tend to upset the natural operation of the marketing machinery."

"These menacing elements have included widespread and usually selfish criticism of the whole grain distributing system; introduction in legislatures and in congress of a score of proposed laws with the single purpose of wrecking the marketing system and substituting experimental methods; interperpetual marketing by farmers at critical periods, and the withholding of grain, on the advice of professional organizers at times when the surplus could, in a measure, have been absorbed at greater profit to the farmer."

"In later years producers will realize that the grain exchanges performed a remarkable economic service. They made possible a ready market for the grain grower, at a time when wool growers and producers of some other commodities were absolutely without a market."

Regulator Measures Overcome.
"Fortunately the sweeping provisions of the many regulator measures were not enacted into law. But the constant battle to prevent such eventualities kept the entire trade in a turmoil throughout the year."

"Competent speculation has been virtually driven out of the market. Country bankers were forcing farmers to liquidate and pay their debts. Farmers were becoming panicky. They rushed their grain to market in a frenzied manner."

"The movement was extremely large in spite of the fact that we did not have an unusually large crop. The tremendous marketing (Continued on Page Four)

Wishing You All a Happy New Year!



Sims Thinks Brother Was Tied and Slain

(By the Associated Press)

ARDMORE, Dec. 31.—After two weeks' investigation of his brother's death, C. G. Sims, of Wichita, Kan., late last night issued a signed statement to the newspapers in which he scathingly arraigns county officials and calls upon the people of Carter county to see that his brother did not die in vain.

Mr. Sims' brother, C. G. Sims, a local policeman, was one of the victims of the triple killing at Wilson recently.

"I write these facts without question, directing or suggestion of any man or woman and with positive knowledge that it is at the risk of my life," he declares. "This is given over my full name and address, and all responsibility on my shoulders and no liability on anyone."

Result of Investigation.
Mr. Sims, in his statement goes on to explain that the charges made are the results of the investigation by him here in Carter county, and declares that when he arrived here he knew no one and had not even seen his brother for 12 years.

"Under natural conditions I would have turned to your law and officers for investigation, but as my brother was killed in the county instead of the city I found the county officials and sheriff's force had charge of all investigations. Before I reached your city, while yet on the train, I was forewarned through general comment of the

incident; my informants not knowing that I was in any way related to C. G. Sims, or knowing who I was, said that there was a tough bunch in charge of your county affairs. Under that forewarning I began my inquiry of the county officials and sheriff's force first."

Conviction Impossible, Said.
Mr. Sims charges that his investigations lead him to believe he could not obtain a conviction in the courts of Carter county under the present officials "had he come here with a million dollars and a retinue of the most able lawyers the county affords. In this charge, he names the county attorney, assistant county attorney, justice of the peace, the sheriff and his force."

"Seemingly my brother had been very active in helping to clean out certain bootleg cases, automobile stealing and numerous other lawless elements that existed here. Through his inability to obtain convictions through these courts the most of his charges were placed through the federal courts with between twenty and thirty of these charges to be faced, and, it is a reasonable and natural fact that he had some enemies," he continues.

Believe Brother Tied.
Discussing the circumstances surrounding the death of C. G. Sims states he believes that his brother was disarmed, tied or handcuffed, and murdered in cold blood.

"I find the sheriff's force arresting people to find out why

there was a meeting of business men, Masons, Christians on the night of December 15 and why on the same night, from eight to ten men visited one bootlegger, Joe Carroll, and two men were killed, one wounded and the next day the body of my brother was found miles from the Carroll home, and by all laws of circumstantial evidence, he had been disarmed, tied or handcuffed, and murdered in cold blood."

Asks Sheriff Question.
"Now I want to ask the sheriff's force why they arrested only one admitted bootlegger, and fourteen business men, Masons and Christian men, merely because these men were at a mass meeting in the same county?"

"The strangest of all things that I have found among all these strangers, including the men at this mass meeting, is how they have lived in this city and county without law and order of any description, even though they had to be classed as mob, Ku Klux Klan or even anarchists," Mr. Sims declares.

"After having handled the courts and county officers to his own satisfaction, Mr. Sims turns a barrel loose at the attorney general who was here recently investigating. He calls the attorney general to task for taking the sheriff's investigation only, not any of his own, and permitting armed men at the door of the court room during the preliminary trial last week."

GIGANTIC BOND THEFT IS LAID BARE TODAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—A mail theft of \$1,500,000 in bonds on July 18, 1921, became known today with the arrest of Mrs. Abe Attell, divorced wife of the former pugilist, Sam Gold, and Harry Cohen, by postal inspectors and members of the police bomb squad.

The bonds had a face value of \$1,477,000 and were stolen somewhere enroute from the Federal Reserve Bank, New York, to the treasury department.

Some had been canceled by maturity.

CONFIDENCE IS KEY TO UNLOCK FUTURE, BELIEF

Ada. Bankers. View. Next
Months With Added
Degree of Hope.

C. OF C. OPTIMISTIC

Industrial Plants Looking
Over the County's Big
Resources.

Confidence that early months of the new year, which will dawn upon the county Monday with a blaze of promise, will bring to Ada and Pontotoc county a period of revived business and financial prosperity was voiced this morning by local bankers.

From a barren background of depression and misgiving will emerge an era of greater promise than the county has enjoyed many months, those closest in touch with present conditions in the business world. Ada banks, all of which have labored to spread the gospel of hope where the community has felt its tightest pinches during the past and good cheer even into the places months, stoutly asserts that optimism appears now to be the key which will unlock the doors of better times.

This view is also held by officials of the Ada Chamber of Commerce. Many big firms, including factories of various descriptions which have expressed a desire to draw closer to the richness of Pontotoc county's natural resources, are prospecting here now perhaps as never before, looking to the time when they will be able to establish branches in Ada. O. N. Walker, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, outlined this morning a program of encouraging prospects for the city and county.

A Kansas City company, manufacturing brick and fire clay products of a fancy variety, has been making overtures to Ada for placing a plant here. Besides this, a smelter, which now has two branches at other places in the state, is soundly optimistic in Pontotoc county and found the field promising. Walker said. A window glass company already well established in the state, has laid plans for a house in Ada. It is said, their definite action pending an opening up in the money market.

A bottle factory and a pottery plant also are figuring on the local field for prospective branches.

Inquiries have been received here concerning the enlarging of the local foundry, according to Mr. Walker, with the outlook good that such a step will be taken within a few months.

The Ada Chamber of Commerce, backed by more than \$10,000 in pledges made during the recent campaign, has in view a much bigger program than ever before and is encouraged in this by the fact that the Bureau of Organization, Inc., Chicago, the firm that recently mapped out a comprehensive program here, has a contract to continue its cooperation in the Ada field for two more years. A representative of the company will be in Ada next week to push these plans.

Railroads Co-operate.
Railroads represented in the city have shown a healthy spirit of co-operation during recent weeks, Walker said, extending their unequalled promise to back Ada to the limit.

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AUDIT RECORDS INTRODUCED IN OPENING ROUND

County Attorney Takes the
Stand This Morning,
Reading Testimony.

SENSATION LACKING

Joint Procedure Takes on
Unusual Aspect But no
Scare Develops.

Although a big crowd, which increased in size as the hearing progressed, assembled in the district court room this morning to hear the opening of testimony in the W. B. Jones embezzlement preliminary and ouster proceedings, curiosity seekers were doomed to disappointment as the hearing continued until mid-afternoon without sensational developments.

County Attorney Wayne Wadlington took the stand early today and remained there until noon recess, reading page after page of the record made when Special Assistant Attorney General J. F. McKeel conducted the opening investigation several weeks ago. Twenty-three pages of testimony, given by Mr. Miller, of the firm of Wolf and company, auditors who made the review of Jones' books for the city, were read up to noon. Judge McKeel reading the questions from a transcript record.

It was a hearing somewhat unique in recent legal procedure. District Judge J. W. Bolen and Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown sat in joint jurisdiction, the former to judge ouster proceedings against Jones and the latter to weigh testimony being given at the same time to determine whether the city commissioner shall be held for the district court on the \$10,000 embezzlement charge.

Checks Introduced.

Auditor Miller's testimony, as recounted by the county attorney this morning, set forth the belief that the city's audit showed a cash shortage of \$10,896.34 during Jones' administration. Checks, signed by Jones, were introduced by the state and labeled as exhibits. Miller's testimony brought out, among other things, the assertion that at four different dates, "suspicious" checks, made mysterious in the light of attending circumstances, had been found in the commissioner's records. These are alleged to have been written at the close of the last three fiscal years, on June 30, 1919, June 30, 1920, and June 30, 1921. Another, said to have been written November 8, 1921, was the center of some comment on the part of the prosecution.

Results of the second audit, conducted on Mr. Jones' behalf, was eagerly expected today but had not been introduced in testimony given up to noon today.

There was every indication as the court adjourned for noon recess that no decision in the two hearings would be reached before Monday.

Charles F. Miller, senior accountant of the auditors employed by the city, was on the stand this afternoon giving in person his description of the city books as he found them.

Schools to Reopen Monday After Week of Xmas Vacation

The public schools will resume work Monday after a week's recess for the Christmas holidays.

The first semester will close January 20 instead of January 13, as previously announced, because time was not allowed this year for the Christmas holidays. Superintendent J. E. Hickman states that vacancies created by resignations have been filled; buildings have been renovated and disinfected and that everything is ready for reopening the schools. He expects an increase in attendance to the extent that at least one additional teacher will be imperative. He advises all patrons to wait until the beginning of the second semester, January 20, to start children who have not been enrolled in school this fall. Especially does this apply to patrons who have children who have become of school age since September 1.

He states that children who are six years old on or before the first of January 1922 will be eligible for enrollment at the beginning of the second semester but that such children can not enroll until that time.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

A MORNING PRAYER:—Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.—Psalm 51: 10.

THE HANDY SAILOR MAN.

"The easiest man for us to place today," reports the head of a great employment agency, quoted in a current magazine, "is the sailorman. Why? Because his training as a sailor teaches him to do more different things that are in common demand than does any other calling. He can paint, clean, tinker, do ordinary carpenter work, swing a flying scaffold—a suspended platform—and tie and handle ropes. He can even do a neat job of tailoring in a pinch. Many sailors are good plain cooks. They can wash windows and exterior walls, do painting and climb flag-staffs, and take care of themselves and handle their equipment under all conditions. Building contractors like to get hold of sailors. So do sign men and painters. Moving a safe up the outside of a buildig and into the window means a call for able seamen."

The point is that the man who knows how to do more than one thing well is the man who suffers least from a period of general unemployment. The man who can do many things well is always sure of a job.

That is why learning one operation and one only is bad, no matter how high wages for that particular operation. Skill, resourcefulness and the ability to figure out how to accomplish any given task, and to get it done no matter how new or how difficult or under what conditions, are always at a premium.

STATE PARKS

The good work being done by the federal government in setting aside and protecting certain areas of distinctive beauty as national parks and monuments to be preserver for the use of the people is wisely supplemented by the development of the state park idea.

Only a quarter of a century ago the state park was practically unknown. Today 26 states maintain parks. New York, New Jersey, Iowa and Wisconsin were among the leaders. Starved Rock Park in Illinois and the Palisades Interstate Park on the Hudson river are two examples of such parks which are distinctive in character and of value as pleasure and camping grounds. Iowa considered by residents of other states as "flat" country, boasts of an annual appropriation of \$100,000 for maintaining her state park system, which includes "a natural bridge equalling Virginia's caves of a great value as Kentucky's and lakes like those of Switzerland."

In some states the parks maintained are chiefly of historical value. In most places they are scenically beautiful as well. There is not a state in the Union lacking a natural beauty. Nature was generous with this broad land, and good sense and gratitude on the part of citizens ought to insure to posterity the preservation of many acres of these fields, forests, caves and valleys.

It is amusing to witness the fits some of the congressmen and eastern newspapers are throwing because of the activities of the farmers' bloc in congress. This is nothing new in our legislative history, every industry and interest seeking anything at the hands of congress have always banded together, though perhaps not so openly as the congressmen and senators from the agricultural regions, and they have succeeded all too often for the good of the rest of the country. Now that the farming element is showing an inclination to stand together for the protection of this industry, we are for the first time hearing protests against it. The disturbing feature about it is that party lines cut little figure and the big bosses are losing controls of their followers. Naturally this sort or rebellion rouses them to a pitch of fury and we are hearing a lot about the evils of the bloc plan of securing legislation.

The McAlester News-Capital calls the attention of the community to the revenue derived from tourist traffic. A man of that city in a position to know estimates that the sums spent by these passing visitors run from 25 cents to \$25. In course of a year this totals a tidy sum. Many towns are coming to recognize the importance of this source of income and are striving to make things as agreeable as possible for tourists to induce them to stop over as they pass. Ada made a start in this direction last summer and it is to be hoped that another year will see Ada placed in a prominent place in the estimation of the travelling public.

Lloyd George should have some valuable advice to offer the disarmament conference, after his experience in disarming the Irish.

Have you made your New Year resolutions?



The Forum of the Press

It Might Have Been Worse.

(New York Times)
The Scotch have an expression which is used to meet any situation, good or bad: "It might ha' bin waur"; that is, it might have been worse. Its philosophy tends to give comfort when things are bad and to prevent undue elation when things are very good. It does not, to be sure, reason about the soundness of the social or economic order, but it promotes a spirit of equanimity and a disposition to make the best of what is today, even if another order is conceivably better for tomorrow.

It has been written into the following bit of anonymous admonitory verse by one who must have had Scotch ancestors: When failures becloud the blue of your sky And troubles begin in torrents to pour, Just think of the floods which others have whelmed And say to yourself: 'It might ha' bin waur.'

You're drenched, but na drowned; it might ha' bin waur."
The publication of the Hundred Neediest Cases should make every reader realize that "it might have been worse" for him or her, whatever his or her fortune or misfortune has been. With a turn of the former or a deepening of the latter one might, through no fault of one's own, easily find one's self in this list. And it might conceivably have been worse for these Neediest Cases. Suppose their needs were not met. The Christmas spirit of the community is meeting them in a generous way, but the way is long, the cases are many, the need great, and the sum yet to be raised is large.

Psychos as Well as Economy.

(Fort Worth Record)
Contemporary thought seems divided between the economists and psychologists. Psychology won the war, according to Doctor Gustave Le Bon, a great French psychologist, who writes: "German militarism, long though it retained the power of defending itself against artillery, ended by becoming helpless when attacked by thought." In which opinion Mr. Tumulty, in his description of Mr. Wilson's career, virtually concurs.

The economists, of course, will dispute the assertion; but we do not need to decide between psychologists and economists before we permit ourselves to trace the psychic and the economic parallelism, such as the after-the-war depression and demoralization, both of which are manifest even in America, the least hard-hit of the nations by the war.

Here are some of Dr. Le Bon's comments on the reactions of the nations to the war:

The United States—Its devotion was absolute. Accepting entirely novel conditions of existence, it renounced all the liberties of which it was so proud, subjected itself to the abnormal despotism of the state, to severe privations, and above all, to that obligatory military system of which the very idea had formerly seemed intolerable to it.

Germany—The type of a high scientific and industrial civilization superimposed upon low moral conceptions, which had long been left behind.

Great Britain—To transform the British mentality required a dreadful effort. This effort was rendered possible only by the psychic qualities of the race's indomitable tenacity, a sense of duty and a sense of honor. To these we may add a stoical acceptance of destiny when it seems inevitable.

France—France is a country so stabilized by her past that the ancestral mentality has a very strong hold upon the nation.

Food for thought is in every one of these statements. The psychology of nations must be considered, if we are to attain the world-peace of all our hopes. No doubt, twentieth century economy induces or compels to such peace, economic necessities requiring such peace. But the psychic factors are not negligible. Some psychic factor con-

ceivably can violate every economic consideration, as for instance some nation, offended in its sensibility of preferring its pride, may elect war and perhaps ruin as its consequence, rather than abide by its own and others' economic interests. Individuals act like that, and so do nations. There is a psychosis which, deliberately chooses evil rather than good, misery rather than welfare, tragedy rather than happiness. There is a perverse will in the world, as minds so far apart as Saint Paul and Edgar Poe have recognized.

Doctor Le Bon, in an hour in which economists are rampant, reminds us of the psychic factors, their potency, perhaps decisiveness.

Farmers' Column

By Byron Norrell

A. V. Horne has been appointed demonstration agent for Murray county. No allowance was made for his salary in the county estimate, but realizing the importance of the position the citizens of the county subscribed the necessary funds. Some years ago when an agent was first employed in Murray county a socialist paper published at Sulphur advised the renters to have nothing to do with it as it was just a scheme of the capitalist land owners to increase the yield of their farms and thereby get more rent from them. Evidently the citizens of the county did not take this advice much to heart.

J. B. Hill, county demonstration agent, is able to be at his office again but is still limping from the effects of a nail which disabled him some days ago. He expects to be out in the field again within a few days.

If a creamery is to be established

at Ada, or anywhere else in Pottawatomie county for that matter, it must be ascertained how many cows there are available to furnish the cream to keep it going. County Assessor Herd estimates that there are now twice as many in the county as there were two years ago, but even that is too indefinite to have much bearing on the case. Every thinking person realizes the value of having a creamery close at hand, so we must have the co-operation of the public in ascertaining just what might be counted on. Here is the proposition: fill out the blank below and send or hand it either to the News, the Chamber of Commerce, J. B. Hill or Mrs. Duvall. If by this means we can get some idea of what the county has in this line it will help a great deal. We are trying to find out anything about the value of the cows in dollars and cents but their number. I would suggest that the other papers of the county take up this proposition and help obtain the information.

How many cows are you milking?

How many have you that will be fresh in the spring?

Are you selling cream?

Are you making and selling butter?

(Signed)

Postoffice

By way of getting away from the boll weevil a fruit and truck growers association has been organized around Hugo. George W. Woodford, late of Tyler, Texas, has been employed to direct the operations of the organization. One of the first steps will be to build hotheds for growing tomato plants for the members. It was the weevil that caused the farmers of East Texas to turn to raising fruit, tomatoes, potatoes and other truck some twenty odd years ago and they are still sticking to this line of farming. Of course most of the shipments are in car lots and this is probably the plan of the Hugo farmers.

Minnesota claims the distinction of being the largest producer of butter of any state in the Union. In 1920 the creameries of the state turned out 139,000,000 lbs. of butter valued at \$80,000,000. The total value of dairy products for the year was \$200,000,000. Dairying has become the first industry of the state. Even the great iron mines fall short of dairying. Chris Heen, state dairy and food commissioner, states that in sections of the state where grain growing is he principle dependence, he farmers are facing bankruptcy, while in the dairy section the banks are overflowing with deposits most of which, of course, have originated from cream checks which flow in steadily the year round. There are more than 800 creameries in the state and in 1920 their payments for cream averaged \$108,000. Wisconsin and Iowa rank next as butter producers. Wisconsin takes high rank in the cheese industry.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

GREETINGS

We wish to extend to our many friends and customers our sincerest wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year. We have appreciated your business during the past year and hope you will continue to patronize us. You will find us hereafter in Shaw's Department Store, Millinery Department.

ADA HEMSTITCHING SHOP.

12-31-11

New Year Salutations 1922

...To you, and to those upon whose happiness your own depends, may the New Year bring ever-increasing good cheer, sweet companionship and serene content. ...The attainment of your most cherished ideals, the achievement of your dearest hopes and plans, and the successful accomplishment of all your undertakings, are the sincere wishes of



S. L. McCLURE

M. C. TAYLOR

DON'T RESOLVE TO QUIT-- RESOLVE TO BEGIN

At this time of the year it is the custom to begin formulating resolutions for the New Year. Here's a resolution that's worth while:

"Resolved, that I will put a new day in the calendar of 1922 and that I will keep it there. It shall be SAVINGS ACCOUNT DAY and it shall fall on every pay-day. I shall hold it as important as July 4th, for it also marks my independence. It's a man's resolution and I will keep it like a man. I am determined to get somewhere and I will start now."

We will make it more worth while by paying you 4 percent Compound Interest.

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F. P. LIEUALLEN, Vice-President Wm. McDOWELL, Asst. Cash.



New Year Greetings

Wishing Our Friends and Patrons a Prosperous and Happy New Year for 1922

ESTABLISHED 1903

SIMPSON'S

THE SURPRISE STORE

115-117 WEST MAIN ST.

Gives Play Party
One of the closing social functions of the holiday season was the play party and dance given by Miss Wilma Chilcutt at her home on South Cherry Avenue last evening. A number of her most intimate friends were guests of the evening and all report a most delightful time.

Many interesting games appropriate to the season were played and dancing was enjoyed. Music was featured all during the evening. Refreshments were served at a late hour, following which the guests took their departure.

Those invited to the event were Misses Grace Mooney, Virginia Abney, Kathryn Wilenzick, Inez Love, Ruth Bolen, Clyde Kitchens, La Verne Lasater, Veda Reed and Eddie Mae Horn and Messrs. Charlie Gregg, Manson Hawkins, Frank Potts, Jackie Wright, Jesse Carr, Byron Roberts, Clifford Wade, Turner King, and Willie Blanks.

To The People of The Whole World!

Who have patronized our cafe during 1921, we extend our thanks. They have come from all corners.

Now in 1922 we want you to come back and get the best things to eat at the fairest prices in the United States

Happy New Year Coney Island Cafe

215 West Main—Phone 102

BILL JAMES

JEFF DUNCAN

Happy New Year

Each stroke of the clock as the New Year dawns is a wish for each month of the year—May happiness, health, success and prosperity be yours.

MRS. LAND'S

Pay Yourself an Outside Salary

Take a few dollars—or even one dollar—out of your salary every week, and put it into a savings account at this bank. In a few months you will have a bank account created entirely from what would have been wasted or carelessly spent money.

You can do it—you would have to live on less if your salary was cut. Try the plan of paying yourself a salary at this bank. Bring in one dollar today and start. The rest will be easy.

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The Security State Bank

H. W. WELLS, President
LESLIE PRINCE, Cashier

W. M. PEGG, Vice-President
E. A. POE, Asst. Cashier

Happy New Year

On the threshold of the New Year we wish to extend our greetings to the many friends who have contributed to make the year just past a pleasant and profitable one to us.

The success of 1921 is an added incentive to make 1922 a still more prosperous year—a year of increased business and ever-widening friendship.

Moser's Dept. Store

112 East Main

Phone 54

CAGERS CALL OFF SIX OF CONTESTS

Teachers College Cancels Third of Schedule as First Made Up.

The Teachers College basketball team has called off six of the 20 games which it had scheduled for this season, according to an announcement made today by Coach M. Z. Thompson, who said that on account of financial reasons, two games with Phillips University, two with the Alva Teachers and two with the Weatherford Teachers had been canceled. This leaves fourteen conference games for the Ada college, three of which have already been played.

Thompson is taking his basketbeteers to Oklahoma City on January 11 for a game with the O. C. C. Goldbugs. Three days later he meets the Shawnee Baptists here and will then go into training for some hard contests. His material is showing up better, he states and he hopes to win a good percentage of the games.

The Shawnee team defeated East Central on the local teams first trip but the Ada men had just come out of two battles with the strong Edmond team and were in no condition for additional roughing by a fresh team. The Shawnee Baptists will be in the same position on their visit here as Thompson's men were there before the holidays.

The new official schedule follows:

Jan. 11—Ada at Oklahoma City with O. C. C.

Jan. 14—Shawnee Baptists at Ada.

Jan. 20—Tulsa University at Tulsa.

Jan. 21—Tulsa University at Tulsa.

Jan. 28—O. C. C. at Ada.

Feb. 3—Durant at Durant.

Feb. 4—Durant at Durant.

Feb. 14—Durant at Ada.

Feb. 15—Durant at Ada.

Feb. 22—Kingfisher at Ada.

Feb. 23—Kingfisher at Ada.

This leaves six games at home and affords several good trips for the Ada squad. One of the best features of the season's schedule is that Thompson's men, most of whom are high school players, will get needed college basketball this season, which goes to make a better team next year.

Obituary

Announcement was made today of the death of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White of 519 West Nineteenth street this morning. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at Rosedale cemetery.

Mrs. Carrie West, wife of J. W. West of this city, died in Oklahoma City hospital Friday afternoon. The body arrived in Ada on a noon train today and was taken to the C. A. Cummins undertaking parlors where it will remain until tomorrow afternoon. The exact time for funeral services has not been announced.

ADA LEGION POST SECURES A HOME FOR ACTIVITIES

At last Norman Howard Post No. 72, American Legion has a home. This fact was made known today by Mayo E. McKeown, post adjutant, who said that the second floor of the building occupied by the Sudden Service garage, on North Broadway, had been rented. This is one of the many steps which are to be taken by the new administration in putting the Ada post of the eLegion on the map for the coming year, he said.

In addition to the announcement of the renting of a home the post adjutant said that a meeting will be held there on the night of January 10 by all members of the American Legion and men who are eligible to join. An interesting program has been prepared, which includes a boxing exhibition, speeches and luncheon.

Efforts are being made to get E. C. Monk, department judge advocate of Okmulgee, to come to Ada and address the meeting that night. In case Mr. Monk is not brought to Ada, some other speaker will be sent here. All events at the meeting will be preliminary steps to be taken in the launching next month of a drive for new members for the post.

Dues for membership next year will be \$2.75, McKeown said. Those who wish to pay up now may do so by reporting to McKeown or to Gib Polly post commander, at the Model store. More definite announcements concerning the membership drive will be made later, it was said.

CITY BRIEFS

J. T. George and wife, who spent the holidays with C. L. George, father of the first named, left today for their home at Pittsburgh, Penn.

Mrs. Hawkinson and Miss Elizabeth Wimbish visited friends near Tupelo today.

Mrs. Fritz Johnson of Allen was in the city today en route home from Shawnee where she visited her mother.

Mrs. Byron Norrell is confined to her bed with an attack of rheumatism.

Lemons can be kept for months if packed in salt.

City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your Photo made at West's.

Butler Bros. Grocery, 205 East Main. Phone 363. 10-5-1mo

A. W. Parker has returned from a trip to St. Joseph, Mo.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Try the Home Dining Room for dinner New Year's. They treat you right. Just 50c. 12-31-1t

Mrs. A. M. Bailey and children have returned from Pauls Valley where they spent Christmas with relatives, making the trip overland.

Call Thomas Motor Co., for battery service. Phone 163—212 West 12th. 11-23-tf

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-tf

Ed Osburne, who spent the holidays with his home folks at Jesse, has returned to take up his school work.

Thomas Motor Co., parts and service for all makes of automobiles. Phone 163—212 West 12th. 11-29-tf.

Maurice Gordon, of Tulsa, formerly of this city, was expected to arrive in the city this afternoon to spend the week-end with friends.

A good dinner New Year's Day. Home Dining Room. 50c. 12-31-1t

A. J. Brock of Woodward returned to the city yesterday to take up his teaching near the city.

Hemstitching, button making and plaiting.—Ada Hemstitching Shop, Phone 51. 12-2-1mo

Katherine Bayless of Stratford, is a week-end guest of Miss Lucille Webster.

We loan you a battery free of charge while we repair your battery, all work guaranteed in writing.—Kit Carson, Phone 124, 119 North Broadway. 9-15-1mo

Frank Jackson, who has been reported worse during the past week, was again improving today.

Hot cakes 10c; waffles 15c; ham and bacon and with hot biscuits are toast 40c; coffee included.—Home Dining Room. 12-31-1t

Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Webster and family spent the day yesterday in Stratford the guests of friends.

Dr. Spence, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist. Glasses fitted. Shaw Bldg., Ada Okla. 11-16-tf

Mrs. N. B. Pitt and children of Dallas are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pitt at their home near the Ada Greenhouse.

Ask your grocer for White Frost soft wheat flour, that satisfying pastry flour. 11-17-1mo

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Deavers of Maud, Okla., were in the city today looking after business matters.

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-tf

Rev. M. A. Cassidy left today for Heavener, Okla., where he will start a revival meeting Sunday. The meeting will continue for two weeks.

We have made special prices on our short order breakfast. We have cut rates on everything.—Home Dining Room. 12-31-1t

Miss Kathleen Love is returning today to her school at Blanco, Okla., after spending the holidays here with home folk.

Send your clothes to the Ada Home Laundry for a good cleaning. We call for and deliver.—J. L. Hughes, proprietor. Phone 883. 511 West Main. 12-27-1mo*

Mrs. Mary Cassidy and two children of Dallas, Tex., who have been here for several days visiting Mrs. M. A. Cassidy, returned to their home yesterday.

Our service includes skillful repair work on all makes of batteries, you can rely on reasonable advice and reasonable prices here.—Kit Carson, Phone 124, 119 North Broadway. 9-15-1mo

V. E. Haga, of Pawhuska, formerly employed in the Grant Irwin garage here, arrived in the city last night to spend a few days visiting friends.

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-tf

Miss Mattie Lou Stooksbury of Shawnee, who has been the house guest of Miss Helen Moser at her home on East Main street for the past few days, returned to her home yesterday afternoon, accompanied by Miss Edith Chapman, daughter of A. H. Chapman, who returned to Ada last night.

Begin the new year right. Bring your family to the Home Dining Room Sunday for dinner. 11:30 till 2:00 o'clock. 50c.

R. H. Robinson of near Elk City, shipped a car load of livestock here this week which he will use on his farm. Mr. Robinson is locating near Ada and has a lot of fine livestock which he is bringing here. Mrs. Robinson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Watkins of this city.

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Word was received in Ada today

IN SOCIETY

Christmas Endeavor Party.

An enjoyable party of the holiday season was the one given by the young people of the Senior Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian Church last Monday evening.

A large number met at the City Hall, now the home of the Presbyterian church, and an hour or so was spent in playing old fashioned games such as their parents use to play. After a pleasant time spent at the hall, the young people were conducted to the lawn of the Presbyterian church where in a short time a roaring bonfire was burning and the balance of the evening was spent in the ever popular pastime of roasting "weenies" and marshmallows.

Those present report a bountiful supply of eats and an exceedingly good time.

Holds Birthday Party.

Little Mary Eleanor King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. King of 705 East Twelfth street, entertained a few of her playmates Friday afternoon in honor of her sixth birthday.

Those present were Anna Katherine Grigsby, Mamie Elizabeth Grigsby, Loretta Arnett, Mirelle Allen, Virginia Allen, Hazel Smith, Thelma Smith, Ruth Nickells, Jean Harwell, W. J. Hughes, Edwin Hughes, Raymond Dixon, and Mrs. Malco Nickells and Mrs. King, hostess.

McKenzie-Hardin.

An announcement was made today by Rev. J. H. Ball, pastor of the First Methodist church, that the wedding ceremony of Miss Mary Hardin, student of the Teachers College, and Earl McKenzie of Mangum, Okla., was performed by him at the church last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The bride is well known here, being a popular young lady in the college.

Prof. and Mrs. J. E. Hickman had as their dinner guests last evening Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Webster and Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Morris.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

That Jacob Pelter, formerly owner of Pelter's fashion shop here, died at a hospital in St. Louis last Tuesday, following a long illness. Bad health caused Mr. Pelter to sell his store here. Funeral services were held at St. Louis Thursday. He leaves a wife, two children and a mother and father.

Moonshine Anti-Freeze for your car can't be frozen.—Ada Service and Filling Station. 12-8-1mo

T. B. Blake, proprietor of the Coca Cola Bottling company, has just returned from Henryetta where he owns a branch plant. He reports good business prospects for 1922. New oil fields are opening there, he says.

Combs made into switches, transformations, bobs, curls, etc., old goods dyed and remade. Hair goods for sale—orders called for and delivered. Phone 1086. 217 S. Stockton. 12-30-2td*

The headquarters Battery, Oklahoma National Guard, will meet Monday night at 7 o'clock at the new armory on East Main street. The building was formerly occupied by the Peoples' Drug Co.

Thomas Motor Co., authorized Gould Battery sales and service. Phone 163—212 West 12th. 11-29-tf.

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D.W. GRIFFITH Presents

WAY DOWN EAST

Wherever this picture has been shown pandemonium breaks loose—audiences cheer, whistle and yell with delight their unfeigned approval

COMING

JANUARY 9 and 10

We Have Moved

Our Furniture Store from 109 West Twelfth street to 125 East Main, Harris Hotel building, where we expect to handle as complete a line of Furniture, Rugs, Mattresses and stoves as can be found in Ada.

When it's Furniture you want—don't fail to get our prices.

E. W. WALKER FURNITURE STORE

125 East Main Phone 705

Getting Rich Quick

Everyone has read of Ponzi, who offered people 50 percent on return on their money in three months.

Thousands gave him their savings. Now their only hope is to get a small part back.

You cannot get something for nothing in this world. Don't be misled by big promises.

Put your savings in this institution where you will get from 6 to 10 percent with absolute safety.

Add to your savings fund regularly and you and your family will have something to which to look forward.

START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT

We appreciate your business for the past year and solicit your support and co-operation in 1922.

Home Building and Loan Association

JOHN P. MCKINLEY, Secretary

Office in Norris-Haney Building

Our dividend July 1st was at the rate of 12 percent for average time. The dividend that we will credit on January 1st will be at the rate of 10 percent compounded, net to all members.

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HALF A CENTURY

Oklahoman Praises Black-Draught, Having Used It "Can Safely Say for 50 Years."

Grandfield, Okla.—One of the best known farmers of Tillman County, Mr. G. W. Tisdale, who owns and manages a wagon yard here, says:

"I have used Thedford's Black-Draught—I believe I can safely say for fifty years."

"I was born and reared in Texas, Freestone County, sixty-four years ago. I have been married forty-four years. My father used Black-Draught before I was married, and gave it to us."

"For forty-four years of my married life, it has had a place on our medicine shelf, and is the only laxative, or liver medicine, we use. We use it for torpid liver, sour stomach, headache, indigestion... I don't think we could get along without it, knowing what it has done for us, and the money it has saved. It is just as good and reliable today as it was when we began its use. My boys use it and they are satisfied it's the best liver medicine they have ever used."

Thedford's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, not disagreeable to take and acts in a prompt and natural way. So many thousands of persons have been benefited by the use of Thedford's Black-Draught, you should have no hesitancy in trying this valuable old well-established remedy, for most liver and stomach disorders. NC-139b.



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MASSEURS SWEAR THEY'LL IMPROVE

Chicago Proprietors of the Beauty Parlors Go on Stand Today.

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—A radical reform in Chicago's massage parlors, where tired business men were massaged by female attendants, was promised today by Assistant State Attorney F. E. Smith, after hearing additional reports from investigators.

Among those brought in for questioning were Huldah Johnson, who conducted an establishment in the Loop district, and her assistant, Lydia Berglund and Madame Hilda E. Chapman, who has a downtown place and her assistant, Pauline Anderson.

All were indignant over the "insult" to their "profession." They readily admitted their business was to massage men, which, they said, was alright, but denied that any improprieties took place in their establishments.

Mrs. Johnson confided the secret of her business to Assistant Attorney Smith, the code of morals in vogue, and the reason men who needed massaging chose girls in preference to men.

"We run a strictly decent place," she said. "Most of the other places should be put out of business. We have eliminated from among our patrons those who seek other than scientific treatment. My husband and myself run the place, and Miss Berglund is our only employee."

Peek Holes Were There.

"There are cracks and peek holes which permits my husband to look in upon either of us as we work. He wouldn't permit anything wrong."

"Does your husband believe it alright for you to be thus employed?" asked Attorney Smith.

"Oh, yes," she replied. "In Sweden it is not wrong; why should it be here?"

"Does your husband massage the women patients?" Smith wanted to know.

"Oh, no, I wouldn't let him."

"But the same peek holes would be there for you, too, to observe that nothing irregular happens."

"Well, the women prefer to have a woman massage them."

"Why do the men show the same preference?"

"Because a girl is so much more gentle and has a smoother touch."

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson submitted a list of names of men prominent in the business world as parties who would vouch for the respectability of their establishment.

American Grit Now Defeating Business Lull

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was in excess of the combined purchasing power of our domestic consumers, foreign governments and speculators. Speculation always has been a bolster to prices. But it had been largely killed off and its absence was indeed a serious blow.

"So the grain trade's greatest hope is that 1922 will see a more sympathetic attitude by law-making bodies toward business generally. With this co-operation the exchanges will strive to maintain the high standard of efficiency which has made possible the distribution of grain at a lower cost between producer and consumer than exists in any other staple commodity."

W. K. Newcomb, who is teaching in the Francis schools, spent the Christmas holidays with his brother who is a student in the University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo. The former has just returned to Ada for a short stay with friends.

Right ear is generally higher than the left.

FORMER POTATO MERCHANT IN OHIO NOW BEHIND MAYOR'S DESK, STARTS OUT TO CLEAN UP CITY'S POLITICS

(By the Associated Press)

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 31.—George L. Oles, Youngstown's spectacular mayor-elect, arrived home recently from a vacation in Florida ready he said to "clean up the city" and "Fire anyone who doesn't obey orders, when he takes office next Sunday."

Oles made political history here by running as an independent candidate, defeating the Republican incumbent by over 500 votes and the Democratic candidate by over 5,000. The city auditor received a request from Oles in Florida asking for a "thorough invoice" of the city "just as if I were going to buy it."

"I want to know how much money the city of Youngstown owes," he wrote, "whom they owe it to and when it is due. I want to know who owes the city of Youngstown. I want to know where the money is coming from to pay the bills. I want to know what stocks we have on hand, such as horse feed and supplies, gasoline in the tanks, stationery and ink and lead pencils, also the amount of coal—and do not forget to state the amount of cash in the bank."

"Poor Were Bribe."

Shortly after the balloting Mayor Fred J. Warnock, defeated for reelection, issued a 2,000-word statement citing court decisions in an effort to show that Oles' promise to give his salary to charity constituted a bribe to the poor, and therefore disqualified him. Petitions to the courts were prepared, but were dropped and no contest now is in sight.

Oles went into the produce business in New Castle, Pa., 20 years ago with a wheelbarrow and a barrel of potatoes as his sole stock in trade. After he had built up a flourishing business there in five years time he sold it to start a market in Youngstown, to be run on what he called a psychological principle. Oles began presenting eccentric newspaper advertising, based he says, on Billy Sunday's evangelistic tactics, which he had seen in New Castle. Slam-bang statements about women's styles, his competitors, local politics and current topics soon won him a reputation.

During the mayoralty campaign Oles announced in his "ad" one day that he was going to run for mayor.

"I just started it for a joke," he said later. "But people took it seriously and pretty soon I took it seriously too."

Demonstration Opens.

At length Oles moved into a Youngstown hotel from his country home, to establish a legal residence, and began to give Youngstown its most spectacular political campaign. There was no organization by precincts and wards, but he

and his wife held meetings all over the city—meetings for women only at which Mrs. Oles told what a fine husband and father Mr. Oles is, and meetings for men at which Mr. Oles rushed on the platform with arms in air, shouting: "Here I am! Vote for Oles."

Few persons professed to believe that Oles had a chance until the returns began to come in election night. Next day a check on admissions by various men who had challenged Oles to wagers brought out the fact that by taking all bets he could make enough to pay his campaign expenses and give himself and his family a trip to Florida.

At various times during the campaign Oles announced the following platform planks:

- Discontinuance of street car service, and turning over the streets to jitneys.
- Firing the whole police force if it didn't clean up the town.
- Permit spooning in parks under police protection.
- Jail anyone who paid taxes under a recent revaluation.
- Tear up the Erie Railroad's tracks if it didn't eliminate downtown grade crossings.

After his election, however, there were indications that, Oles was considering conservative policies. Questioned about "firing" various officials whom he had named in the campaign he said he would have to inquire into the law. Concerning the street car plank, he said that the traffic problem was knotty, and required a great deal of study. Asked as to jailing tax-payers he said after election that he would jail anyone who broke the law.

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HOOT GIBSON

—IN—

"SURE FIRE"

A stirring picturization of the famous western novel, "Bransford of Rainbow Ridge."

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STAR COMEDY

THE MISFIT PAIR

Coming Monday—"TWO WISE WIVES"

A Paramount Picture.

Greetings

Happy New Year to All

We take this occasion to extend to our patrons our sincerest wishes for a healthy, happy and prosperous New Year.

We wish to express our appreciation for the generous support you have given us, and hope that the usual pleasant relationship between you and our store will continue to exist.

A. P. BROWN CO.

WOOD BLACK, Manager



Welcome 1922

We take this method of thanking all those who have been our customers in 1921. We face the future with an abiding faith in Ada, in its citizenship and in this entire section of the state. We believe that business is now on the upgrade and that 1922 will be a winner in every line.

Better Service

We are doing everything in our power to give Ada the best electric service in the Southwest. We solicit your co-operation and help. We want to be a part of the community and help build it to greater proportions and greater usefulness. We are not wholly unselfish in this, for a better town means a better market for "juice."

Make Your Wants Known

We solicit your suggestions. Tell us if we can improve our service and we assure you your suggestions will be appreciated.

We sincerely hope that 1922 will bring to every one of you prosperity, good health and much happiness.

Oklahoma Light & Power Co.

119 South Broadway—Phone 70



Look at Him Today

HE was no better of than you at one time—See what he is today—Rich, successful, influential—a man of the world.

Don't envy him—emulate him—follow his example. Appreciation of the value of saving started him on the road to success. Judicious investments assisted him in achieving his goal. It will do the same for you.

Profit by his experience. Start the New Year with determination to succeed. Get saving habit—it will start you on the right road.

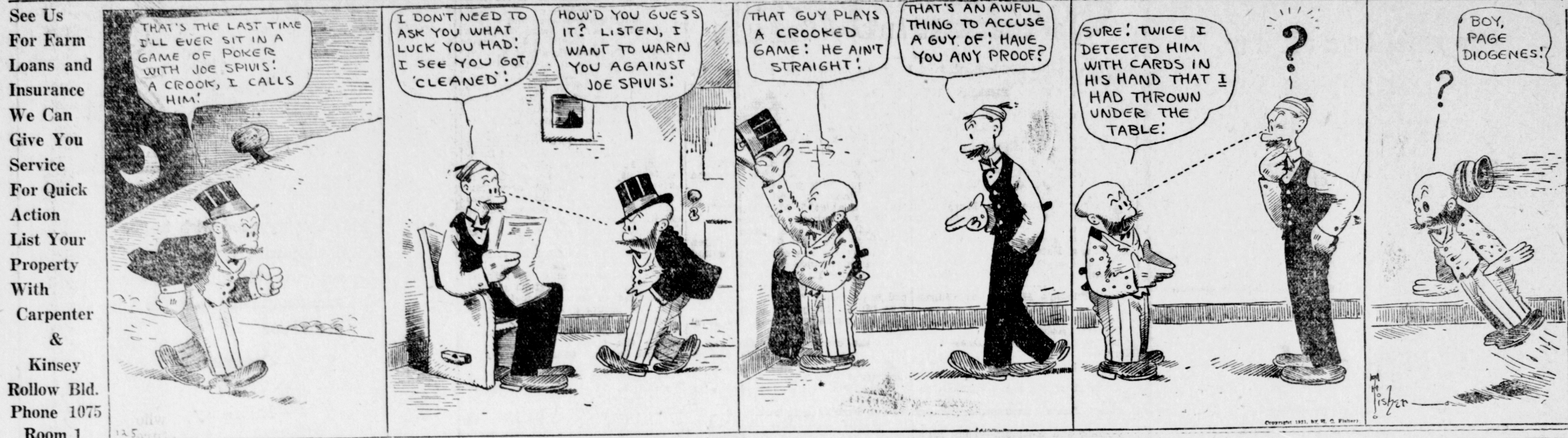
We sincerely thank all our customers for their business in 1921 and solicit a continuance of their good will and co-operation. We believe 1922 will see better business and more prosperous times in every line of worthy endeavor.

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Sizes 1 to 6--\$2 to \$6

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on East 15th St. for \$20.—W. N.
Mays. 12-27-6td*

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6 room house East 16th.—Rollow
Hdw. Co. 12-27-6td*

FOR RENT—Six room modern home
sleeping porch, garage. Inquire 314
E. 13th. 12-30-2td*

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms
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each month.—J. B. Emory, Secre-
tary.

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Sims, secretary.

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Stauffer, H. P.; F. C. Sims, secre-
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In The Oil Fields

L. C. Snider and Ross Spitz of
the Empire Gas & Fuel Company
of Bartlesville returned home today

and said they were looking into
conditions in the Steedman and Allen
after spending several days here. It
fields. They made no announcements
before leaving.

ROBBERS WAKE HOUSEHOLD
AND DEMAND JEWELRY

SANTA MONICA, Calif., Dec. 31.
Robbers awakened Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Schultz at their home here
last night, demanded their jewelry
and escaped with a diamond ring
valued at \$10,000 and ear-rings
worth \$3,000 according to reports
to police. Schultz said he had pur-
chased the gems yesterday.

Scurvy became quite common on
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ROFF, Okla., Dec. 31.—Head-
quarters Battery 160 Field Artil-
lery, National Guard, has organ-
ized a Womens Auxiliary for the

purpose of backing the boys in time
of peace as well as in war. Mrs.
Glady's Heath was chosen tempo-
rary captain and a membership com-
mittee is led by Edna Dixon, Ruby
Rogers, Mrs. Mary Laseman, Ruth
Heath, Alta Montgomery, and Mrs.
Lela Kuykendall.

The committee proposes to solicit
every relative and friend of the
battery boys to enter the Auxiliary
and boost for "Roff's Own," the
Headquarters Battery 160 F. A.

The headquarters battery football
team won state-wide prominence last
season and it is contracting a heavy
schedule for the 1922 season. It is
this and similar battery activities
that the auxiliary proposes to sup-
port.

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Better Times
in 1922

We are proud of the record we made in 1921
for service and efficiency and the volume of busi-
ness we did. We want to thank all those who
made this possible and ask them to permit us to
serve them in the same way the coming year.

We believe business in 1922 will be full of
surprises, surprises that will bring more money
than expected. We believe Ada will go forward
with great strides.

We are making arrangements to handle a
larger volume of business than ever before.

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For the generous patronage of the people of
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grateful. We believe every one in this county is real-
izing more fully every day that their great home
milling establishment is a HOME institution and is
turning out products superior to almost any others
to be purchased anywhere.

FULL STEAM AHEAD

We believe, too, that 1922 will be a good year
for us all. We want to be a part in the development
of the resources of this section and will co-operate
in every way with the citizens in all worthy en-
deavors.

With such faith in this part of the state, we are
not planning on retrenching, but are going ahead
with the expectation of doing twice as much business
in 1922 as in 1921. All we ask you to do is to give
our products an honest and thorough trial and then
compare them with others in price and quality.

We wish each and every one of you a most
prosperous and happy New Year.

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We deeply appreciate the splendid patronage extended this store during 1921 and sincerely hope our relations will forever remain so cordial.

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Church News

Oak Ave. Baptist Senior B. Y. P. U.
Leader: Mr. Harrison.
Subject: "Well Pleasing Unto Him."
Introduction by leader.
Scripture Lesson: 11 Cor. 5:1-16
—Miss Della Sneed.
We may be well pleasing to the Lord.—Mr. Hynds.
We may be well pleasing to him by a life of joyful obedience.—Mr. Henson.
Reading: Willie May Murphy.
Engaging in his service.—Mr. Roy Sawyer.
We shall realize our ambition.—Mr. Irving Eaton.
Piano solo: Miss Jessie Bell Ellis.
Group 1—Lonnje Warr, captain.

Young People's Meeting at Church of Christ.
Leader: Bro. Wall.
Prayer: Robert Moore.
Daniel in the Lion's Den.—Buel Kerr.
Healing of Naaman.—Denton Floyd.
Doctrine of Balaam.—Turner Garwood.
New Year's Resolution.—Emma West.
Sowing and Reaping.—Tony Rubrecht.
Honor Thy Father and Mother.—Ella Cunningham.
Review and Summary.—Bro. O. L. Hays.
Benediction: Tony Rubrecht.

Church of Christ.
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Communion service 11:00 a. m.
Young people's meeting 6:30 p. m.
Bible study Wednesday night.
You are cordially invited to attend all these services.

Christian Church.
Sunday at the Christian church will be a big day. A New Year's rally will be the feature of the day. The regular Bible School program will be carried out, as will also the program for the morning service. After the morning service there will be an old fashioned dinner served at the church. An afternoon service will be another feature of the day. Dr. Linscheid will deliver an address that will be uplifting and inspirational. We know what to expect when Dr. Linscheid is billed to speak. Reports of the year's work will be given at the afternoon service. Also the Every Member Canvass will be taken in the afternoon. We are pleased to announce also that Mrs. Watson, of Columbus, Ohio, sister to Attorney Wayne Waddington, will sing at both morning and evening services. Mrs. Watson is an artist and we are especially favored in having her with us at this time.
Christian Endeavor meeting and evening service at regular hours.
We invite any and all to the services of the day.—H. M. Woods, pastor.

First Presbyterian
It is the practice of this church to celebrate the death of the Lord Jesus Christ by observing the Sacrament of His Supper on the first Sunday of each quarter. The sacrament falls this time upon the first day of the New Year. It is the more appropriate that it falls upon this day so that we may combine our "New Years" resolutions with our vows in communion with him who gave his life for us that we may be the more devoted to his cause.
Let every member of the church and congregation be present. And we cordially invite all our friends and especially strangers who may be in the city to worship with us and partake of the communion of the Lord's Sacrament. The service will be held at 11 o'clock. The pastor will preach at the evening hour, 7:00 o'clock.
Sunday school will meet at 9:45 a. m. Intermediate C. E. at 9:00 p. m. Lightbearers Band at 2:00 p. m. and the Senior C. E. at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.
There is a welcome for every one at the Presbyterian.
N. P. PATTERSON, pastor.

Baptist Missionary.
The Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the church. The executive committee will meet at 2:30.
All ladies who are members of this church are urged to be present as this will be the first business meeting of the new year. Let's start the year right.
MRS. W. J. HUGHES, President.
MRS. L. A. ELLISON, Secretary.

St Luke's Episcopal Church.
Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Owing to the absence of Mr. Hatch, the rector, on account of illness, there will be no church services Sunday.

Oak Avenue Baptist
We have accepted the call to the pastorate of the Oak Ave. Baptist church and will begin our work there next Sunday. We have a great opportunity ahead of us, as well as a great responsibility and we are praying that the Lord will help us to be equal to the situation. We extend a cordial invitation to all to attend all services there. We especially urge all members to be present Sunday. Let's begin the New Year right by attending church. Preaching at usual hours both morning and evening.
J. H. PAGE, Pastor.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday school opens promptly at 9:45 with Mrs. J. A. Riddling in charge. We are exceedingly anxious to go beyond the five hundred mark to our usual attendance.
The Men's Bible Class meets at the McSwain theatre at 9:30. Let's have all the members present tomorrow at that hour. Mr. Ellison will teach as usual.
At the morning hour of worship the pastor will speak on the subject, "A New Year Message." We would be delighted to see the membership of the church present as well as all our friends. We are anxious to make this a helpful service.
The Junior B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15 with Misses Vera Grant and Rose Ellett in charge.
The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15 with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fullerton in charge.
The Blue and Gold B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15. Miss Verna Shirley is president. Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Pitts will meet with them.
This is the time for the election of officers for the coming year and a good attendance is desired.
The Senior B. Y. P. U. No. 1 will meet at 6:15. Mr. Bernard Howard is president. They are very anxious for all the young people above eighteen years of age to be present.
At the evening hour the pastor will give an evangelistic sermon and a call will be made for decisions to Christ.
The public is always welcome at any and all our services. We will do our best to help you.
CLYDE CALHOUN MORRIS, Pastor.

Watch Party at First Baptist.
The Woman's Missionary Society will give a watch party and social at the First Baptist church tonight beginning at 8:30. They are very anxious for every resident member of the church to be present and bring the children. Each lady is asked to bring some sandwiches or some cake to be served at the proper time.
A sort of an informal program has been arranged and each district will have some part on the program. There will be a consecration service held in connection with service and we are anxious to make it one of the best services we have ever had.

Methodist
Sunday school at 9:30 Prof. R. S. Newcomb, Supt.
Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Junior missionary society meets at 2:30 p. m.
Epworth League at 6:30. Special music at both services.
We want to make Sunday a decision day for all our people.
Parents should have their children who have not transferred their membership to the church here should be baptized. All Methodists in the city do so. Every member is expected to be present morning and evening. We want 500 in the Sunday School. A special service for everybody Sunday night.
Special music at the First Methodist church will consist of a gospel solo by Mrs. C. C. Ballard at the morning service, and a duet, "The Home Land" by Roberts, by Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ballard at the evening hour.
J. H. BALL, Pastor.

Senior Christian Endeavor.
First Presbyterian Church.
Topic: Better Christian Endeavor Societies. (Consecration Meeting.)
Song service.
Prayer.
Scripture: I Cor. 15:57-58.
Leader's talk.
How does the quiet hour help to make better societies?—Violet Knight.
What resolution would you recommend our society to take for the New Year?—George Bowman.
Song.
How can we increase the spiritual life of our members?—Robert Chaffin.
How can we better our committee work?—Ora Ewing.
Sentence prayers.
How can we all become better Endeavorers?—Jessie Cales.
Wherein can our society be improved? Tell how.—Charles Gregg.
Roll call.
Business.
Mizpah.
As this is consecration meeting and also the first Sunday of the New Year, every member of the society is especially urged to be present. Any young people of the city who are not connected with some other young people's society, will find a hearty welcome at this meeting. The members of the society are asked to be ready to give some suggestion by which they think their society could be bettered.

Epworth League
Leader: Velma Jordan.
Subject: (Quiet Hour Covenant) "Better Prayers."
Scripture Lesson: Matt. 7:7-11.—Lucile Chapman.
Song service.
"A prayer for Help."—Wylie Blanks.
"Praying Daily."—Louise Barney.
"Prayer and Power."—(Mark 9:14-29)—Garnet Van Meter.
"The Value of the Quiet Hour Covenant."—Leader.
Vocal Solo.—Mrs. Tom Granger.
Topics that will make our prayers better.—Leaguers.
"Mission Study"—Mrs. Wilbur Lee.
Benediction.

Methodist Sunday School.
500 Strong New Year's
The pastor, superintendent and all officers and teachers of the Sunday school are anxious to see a large attendance at the first Sunday service of the New Year. It is sincerely hoped that a large number of individuals will start the New Year right by being present at all Sunday services. More than 500 were present at the Christmas program. We are anxious to have at least this number present at Sunday school Sunday morning. Song service will begin hereafter at 9:45 instead of 9:30.
Mr. Whipple's class for young men continues to grow in numbers and interest. Young men will find a cordial welcome in this class and a helpful message.
The Sunday school recently voted

Confidence is Key to Unlock Future

(Continued from Page One)
An engineer for the Katy was here only this week to plan an improvement of the Twelfth street viaduct and the old board of the Frisco has enlisted its backing in extensive civic enterprises. There are also well defined prospects that a cotton mill, manufacturing netting and cotton chord work, will establish itself in Ada.

Out of a 40 acre tract, which was bought by the Chamber of Commerce, 20 acres are left after concession as granted to big business enterprises now located here. Mr. Walker said. Three railways have combined in signing a contract to extend a line to the Chamber of Commerce tract and half of this has been built. The Chamber of Commerce has equipped its present rooms for meetings of the Boy Scouts, the Delphian Club, farmers organizations, and religious groups, in addition to its own meetings. It has now assumed the aspect of a modern community house, extending courtesy to all organizations contributing the civic betterment.

Local bankers concur heartily in the message of optimism.
"I have recently returned from Texas," H. M. Wells, president of the Security State bank, said at noon today. "Down there, it seems to me, they have real cause to be alarmed because cotton was practically their only hope. As I came this way into Oklahoma, things looked increasingly better. We should do less talking of hard times and sit still in the boat. The best is yet to come."

Officials of the Oklahoma State Bank, First National Bank, and Merchants and Planters National Bank, voiced a hearty "amen" to expressions of increased hope and optimism.

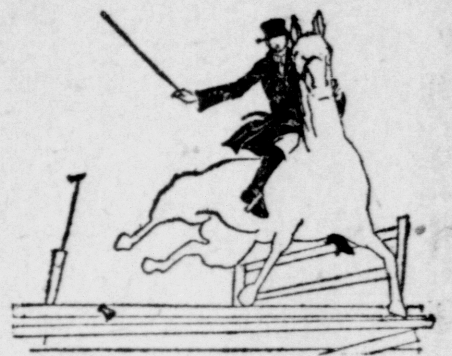
How to Cure Unemployment
Writing in the American Legion Weekly on "Seeking the Cure for Unemployment," James J. Davis, secretary of labor, sums up the cure in a single paragraph, as follows:
"Wage earners can help by giving up unreasonable demands, so that employers can afford to start their mills again, or so that buildings can be built—houses, schools, factories, stores. Merchants can help by giving up unreasonable profits, so that more people can afford to buy clothing, furniture, food and general supplies. The landlord can help by lowering unreasonable rents, so that workmen can afford to accept a wage that shall become a living wage as rents are lowered."

The annual salary of the professor of physics at Cambridge in 1626 was about \$200.

to pay \$300 yearly for local missionary work. This is in addition to the fourth Sunday collections which go to foreign missions and the fifth Sunday collections which revert to the Oklahoma Methodist orphanage at Oklahoma City.

An attempt is being made to buy 200 new song books which are much needed for the Sunday school services. Several classes have pledged to pay for a certain number of these.

The class of young women which is being taught by Mrs. Hill is very successful although it has only been organized for a few Sundays. The Beginners and Primary departments were both largely depleted by promotions only a few Sundays past, but have recruited new members and at present both departments have a normal attendance record.



With every good wish to our friends; with malice toward none; we ride into the New Year, determined to make a record for

- Optimism
- Service
- Efficiency

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1922 Greetings

Permit us to extend to each and every one of you our most heartfelt thanks for the blessings of 1921—for the good will and confidence you have bestowed upon us.

At all times we shall endeavor to retain that faith you have placed in us by maintaining the high standards of service to the utmost degree.

And may the year 1922 be the most prosperous and happiest in your history—for your contentment means our success.

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The New Year

Is the time we Take Stock, make new Resolutions, etc. We look back on our mistakes and failures; and we look ahead with new plans.

Among our New Year's resolutions let us resolve that we will WASTE NO MONEY and NO TIME. The way out is hard work and frugal habits.

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